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SUBJECT: VV: REQUEST FOR FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE

1. KYOTO AMERICAN CENTER REQUESTS FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE  
TAKEO UCHIYAMA, CURATOR NATIONAL MUSEUM OF MODERN ARTS  
KYOTO. UCHIYAMA IN U.S. SEPTEMBER 29-OCTOBER 10 EXPLORE  
POSSIBILITIES AMERICAN QUILT EXHIBITION IN CONNECTION  
BICENTENNIAL. FOR BICENTENNIAL, PRIMARILY INTERESTED  
IN SECURING 1971 WHITNEY MUSEUM EXHIBITIONS, "ABSTRACT  
DESIGN IN AMERICAN QUILTS AND/OR SHOW FROM MUSEUM OF  
CONTEMPORARY CRAFTS ON SOFT-SCULPTURE."

2. REQUEST APPOINTMENTS WITH JONATHAN HOLSTEIN, 50  
RIVERSIDE DR. TEL: 212-787-2873 (OR GAIL VAN DER HOOF)  
FROM WHOSE COLLECTION WHITNEY SHOW WAS DRAWN. ALSO  
WITH PAUL SMITH, DIRECTOR MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY CRAFTS,  
29 W. 53RD STREET AND IF POSSIBLE CURATOR AT WHITNEY  
FOR 1971 SHOW. WILL BE IN NY SEPTEMBER 29-OCTOBER 5  
AT PRESIDENT HOTEL TEL: 212-246-8800.

3. ALSO PLANS VISIT WASHINGTON OCTOBER 6 AND 7 AND  
DESIRES MEETING APPROPRIATE CURATOR AT SMITHSONIAN ON  
AMERICAN QUILTS.

4. BORN APRIL 4, 1940 HYOGO PREFECTURE. ADDRESS:  
7 KITANODAN-CHO, KITA-SAGA, UKYO-KU, KYOTO. KYOTO  
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UNIVERSITY M.A. AESTHETICS. RECENT EXHIBITIONS:

TEXTILES IN NEW AGE, 1971; JAPANESE ARTISTS IN  
EUROPE, 1972. HAS TRAVELLED EUROPE AND USA. GOOD ENGLISH.

5. WILL CONTACT NY RECEPTION CENTER UPON ARRIVAL.  
PLANS VISIT PHILADELPHIA AND BOSTON WHERE NO ASSIST-  
ANCE REQUESTED, THEN TO CANADA. POST APOLOGIZES  
SUCH SHORT NOTICE.  
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